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Fort Bridger, Wyoming.  
 August 25, 1957.

COPY:

Re: Installation Of Flow Record  
 Station On Burnt Fork Creek.

Hon. Earl Lloyd.  
 State Engineer Of Wyoming.  
 203 Capitol Building.  
 Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Dear Mr. Lloyd:

Herewith enclosed a letter received from Mr. Jess J. Ragsdale, Hydrographer of U.S. Geological Survey, notifying Mr. Clifford Johnson and myself of his presence near Manila, Utah during the days of August 19 to 23.

After waiting for several days to hear from Mr. Johnson I telephoned the State Engineer's Office at Salt Lake City on the 21st. and was informed that they would try to locate Messrs. Johnson and Don Norseth, not hearing from Mr. Criddle's office, I again phoned yesterday morning, August 22nd. and was informed that Mr. Johnson was, at present, somewhere near Cedar City, Utah, and would not return until the evening of the 23rd, whereupon I immediately proceeded to Manila to contact Mr. Ragsdale whom I found at Manila and we then proceeded to the proposed location for the flow recorder station,

As Mr. Ragsdale had another appointment we did not spend much time at the location, Mr. Ragsdale stating that he would like a little more time to pick the most satisfactory location, but the question arose as to how soon the recorder is to be installed, to which, not being properly informed, I suggested that perhaps there is no hurry at present, as I considered that the main purpose of obtaining flow records would be during the following irrigation seasons.

When the matter of installing the Station was first brought to my attention by Messrs. Clifford Johnson and Don Norseth, I was led to believe that the State of Utah had the present, upper, Station, which is about three or four miles above the proposed Station, installed and is maintaining such at the expense of the State of Utah, and that the State of Wyoming was requested to install and maintain the lower, proposed, Station, however it has come to my attention that the present (upper) Station is maintained by the U.S.G.S. and I suppose the same will be true of the lower installation.

Yours sincerely,

(S) Emil C. Gradert.

CC. Mr. Jess J. Ragsdale.  
 Jack N. Terry, District Eng. R.  
 Clifford Johnson.

Emil C. Gradert.

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